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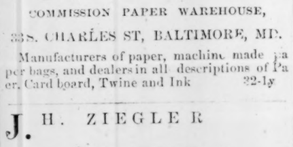

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LIVERY STABLES.

JONE'S LIVERY STABLES

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ARTHUR L. JONES.

Mar. 17, 1870.-38—1y.

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AT ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

The subscriber takes this method of informing his old friends and the public generally that he is still at the "old stand" and continue to keep horses, buggies, carriages &c., for hire. persons accommodated at all times and on reasonable terms. Remember the place—on Road treet near the canal bridge.

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Poetry.

A Man and his Hat.

BY ONE OF THE MAIDENS.

[*Suggested by "The Stolen Hat," published in the North Carolinian of March 18th.*

When I read in the paper the other day,
Of your hat that was stolen away,
A thought came to me at that time
Which I now jot down in uneven rhyme.

Your hat was gone, your head was bare,
With no other covering than natural hair;
No wonder you seized your pen in grief,
To annihilate the cunning thief.

For what is a man without a hat?
You say "a man's a man for a' that:"
Yes, but declare it not so if you can
That a hat is an important part of a man.

Deck a gent in a handsome suit of clothes,
Cover with finest patent-leather his aching toes,
Deck him with a necktie gorgeous in blue and gold,
A bosom and studs wonderful to behold;

And with only a pass'ing glance for his pains,
We direct our gaze on the covering of his brains;
For whether a man's finances be high or low
His respectability is declared by his *chapeau.*

Let your hat be smooth, shiny and new,
Placed upon your head *straight* and true
Not on your eyes, nor sideways, no, never!
As if it and your brains were slipping away forever;

But whether it be a beaver, low hat, Alpine,
Or any other such name in fine,
Wear it honest-y, raise it courteously as we pass,
And you will receive a smile from every lass.

Then "Bachelors" who you would woo the fair,
Be careful about the head-gear you wear.
For most of the ladies are of one mind,
And a soiled hat will not speak *for* you you'll find.

I hope Mr. Bachelor has discovered the thief;
That he quarrels no more about the price of his beef;
That with head crowned as usual he walks the street,
As nice a gentleman as you'd wish to meet;

That never again will he have cause to bewail
As the Syrians would say, the loss of his "pail."
And lastly, that it will not be very long
Till a happier theme calls forth his song.

Elizabeth City, March 21, 1874

Selected Story.

Circumstantial Evidence.

On the 12th of September, 1868, a farmer's boy discovered on the bank of White river, about three miles north of Indianapolis, the dead bodies of Jacob Young and Nancy his wife, two reputable citizens of that place. The postmortem examination disclosed the fact that Mrs. Young had been killed by a pistol shot, the ball entering the back part of the head and coursing upward through the brain until it lodged upon the inner surface of the frontal bone. The ball proved to be a cartridge pistol ball. Mr. Young had been killed by a discharge from a double barreled shot gun, which was found by his side with one barrel exploded, and the other barrel heavily charged with ten buck shot and standing cocked. The position and course of the wounds upon Young and his wife proved conclusively that they had been murdered. No pistol was discovered. The day after the discovery of the murder it was ascertained that the shot gun found by the dead bodies had been purchased from a pawnbroker in Indianapolis the day of the murder. The gun was identified by means of a broken thimble and a peculiarity about the locks, and the man who purchased it was accurately described by the pawnbroker and a negro servant who was present when the purchase was made.

At the time of the murder a gentleman, and his two children, who were fishing some distance below the scene of the murder, heard the report of firearms in the direction of the place where the bodies were found. Five minutes before the report was heard, the children saw the deceased and another woman walking on the sand-bar near where they were killed. A farmer and his son driving along the road within a few hundred yards of the place, heard two reports, one loud like a shot gun, and the other sharp like a pistol, and so near together that it was difficult to distinguish them. A man and his wife, living a quarter of a mile from the scene, heard two reports and a scream between them. The witness agreed that the time was about four o'clock P. M. The horse and buggy of the deceased was found hitched in the road near by.

On examining the neighboring ground the well defined track of a woman, wearing a number three gaiter, making long steps as if in flight, were traced from a point near the dead bodies, through the weeds to a place where they intersected the track of a buggy, going in the direction of Indianapolis, and drawn by an animal wearing small sized interfering shoes. The tracks of the woman and the horse and buggy, were all acurately measured. Those were the clues, and the question arose: Who bought the gun? Who drove the buggy in which the murders fled from the scene of the tragedy?

The pawnbroker sold the gun at nine o'clock in the morning. Between the hours of eight and nine three applicants for the purchase of a second-handed shot gun had been made at as many auction stores and pawnbroker's shops, by a man having sandy hair and complexion, and at the third place he had enquired of a bright little girl, who took him to the door, directed him across the street, and saw him enter the establishment where the gun was purchased which in seven hours afterwards had slain Young. Five witnesses identified William J. Abrams, a reputable carpenter of Indianapolis, as the man who purchased the gun. Mr. Abrams was then arrested, and attention then directed to the horse and buggy tracks.

The afternoon of the murder Silas Hartman had hired a horse and mare from a livery stable. The mare wore small interfering shoes, and a shoe taken from her foot was applied to the track made in the woods near the scene of the murder and it fitted exactly. A plaster cast of the shoe was taken and was compared with thousands of horse shoes without finding one that would go in it. Hartman was lodged in jail.

Some farmers coming to Indianapolis the afternoon of the murder, met Young and his wife going in their carriage in the direction of the place where they were murdered, with a lady sitting in the same seat with Mrs. Young. A few rods behind the carriage, Silas Hartman, driving the livery stable mare, was seen by the same parties. He was recognized but when they attempted to speak to him he turned his head and drove by them without turning their salute. Several of these witnesses testified that Nancy E. Clem, the wife of a leading grocer in Indianapolas, was the lady who occupied the seat with Mr. Young's wife in his carriage. Silas Hartman who followed in the buggy, was her brother. A close watch was placed upon Mrs. Clem's movements, but her arrest was delayed for three weeks This delay in her arrest insured her conviction.

The confederate Abrams was in jail, and had difficulty in raising money to pay attorney fees. He sent for his brother and directed him to go secretly to Mrs. Clem's house and get several thousand dollars, and to "tell her that the money must come." The brother obeyed his directions, and Mrs. Clem, yielding to the demand, went into a cellar where she had a package of bills concealed in a stovepipe hole in a chimney, and gave Abram's brother several thousand dollars, and told him to tell his brother in jail not to send for money as it would excite suspicion.

The murdered man was known to have over seven thousand dollars on his person a few hours before he was murdered. On the day of the murder, Abram's who purchased a gun, went to Mrs. Clem's house, from which she was absent a good portion of the afternoon, and received a large sum of money from her immediately upon her return.

It was proved that Mrs. Clem offered her sewing girl $500 if she would swear that she was at her home during the afternoon of the murder. By means of bribes and threats she procured her niece, her sister-in-law and an Irish servant girl to swear before the grand jury that she was at home and in the house of her sister in-law, next door, during the afternoon, and these persons afterwards confessed their perjuries and testified on oath that she had subored them. She procured a book pedler to swear that he had delivered a book to her in person, at her house the afternoon of the murder, and persuaded a miller, who had delivered a sack of flour at her house on another day, to swear that it was the day of the murder, and thus he conversed with her at the very hour of the murder. She procured another man to swear that he met her in the Indianapolis post office, and accidently trod on her dress and apologized to her the same afternoon. She procured two women to swear that they met her shopping in a dry goods store a few minutes afterwards. Immediately upon her return home from the murder she told a neighbor who noticed her flushed appearance, that she had been at home canning grapes over the hot stove all the afternoon of the murder, the fact being that no grapes had been canned. And on examination before the coronor's jury before her arrest, she swore she was at home at the time the murder was committed. On the day of the funeral of Young and his wife, she stood at the front gate as the procession passed by, and said to a friend that she had no acquaintance with Young or his wife; the fact being that she had been visiting his house with her sister-in-law two or three times a week for months prior to the murder. In fact there was no end to the lies she told and hired others to tell for her.

When she was arrested she was wearing a pair of carpet slippers belonging to her colored servant, and not a slipper or a shoe belonging to her could be found about her house. Inquiry was made at a number of shoe stores in Indianapolis, and it was ascertained that a boy had sold Mrs. Clem a pair of No. 3 gaiters a few days before the murder. The boy was requested to get a pair of the same size of the same manufacture. They were procured and a careful measurement proved that they were too deep for the woman's tracks in the woods near the dead bodies, but corresponded with them in every other particular. Upon this being mentioned the boy remembered that Mrs. Clem complained of the high heels when she bought them, and inquired for a shoemaker, and upon being directed where to go, started to have them altered. The shoemaker remembered that he had altered the heels of a pair of gaiters for Mrs. Clem, and upon being requested to alter the new pair in the same manner, he removed a portion of the heel just as he had for her, and when thus altered the gaiter fitted the tracks near the dead bodies to perfection. The servant girl swore that she saw Mrs. Clem's new gaiters lying on the bed in the house a few days before the murder; and that she saw the same gaiters soiled and muddy on the porch, the morning after the murder; that Mrs. Clem passed out by them on the porch, and that they were never seen afterward. It was also proved that Mrs. Clem was seen to go into the carriage with Young and his wife as they were going in the direction where they were going in the direction of the murder; and one witness, who had known her and her brother Silas for years, met them coming home in a buggy from the direction of the murder at a rapid pace, and swore that they refused to recognize him.

The most remarkable feature of the case, however, and one that has excited a curiosity that will never be allayed until the guilty parties confess and explain it, grew out of the secret and mysterious financial transaction which were carried on between Mrs. Clem and her victim, Young and other prominent citizens of Indianapolis, for months prior to the murder and up to the very day of its commission. Young, the murdered man, had been a porter in a hardware store, and was known to be poor. Suddenly he gave signs of wealth, improved his property, bought him a horse and carriage, quit working, and informed his former employers that he was engaged in business that was realizing enormous profits. He borrowed large sums of mony at enormous rates of interest, invariably upon short time, and always repaid them before his obligations maturded. He kept a large bank balance at one of the Indianopolis national banks, and established a credit that enabled him to procure the indorsement of some of the leading business men of the place. No one knew his business, and when asked by his indorsers what he was doing, he put them off with evasive answers. He was murdered September 12, 1868, and $27,000 of his paper matured in bank on the 14th. This amount was paid by his indorsers. He was seen in a bank the day he was murdered, with $75,000 in his pocket, and one witness swore that Mrs. Clem said that Young had given her $20,000 on the morning of the murder. These financial transactions of Young's covered a period of six months, and during the whole time he was visiting Mrs. Clem's house as often as two or three times a week, and always when her husband was at his grocery store.

Mrs. Clem's husband never met Young and knew not that his wife was acquainted with him until after the murder. Mrs. Clem was also in the habit of visiting Young's house two or three times a week, in company with her sister-in-law, and when there she and Young would retire to an adjoining room, where they would be engaged in conversation and writing for a few minutes. When questioned by her sister-in-law about the nature of her business relations with Young, she put her off with indefinite answers. Meanwhile, Mrs. Clem and Young both had plenty of money. During the same period the fortunes of her convicted accomplice, Abrams, who purchased the gun began visibly to im, prove. He quit working at his trade commenced loafing and borrowing money at high rates of interest, kept a respectable balance in bank, paid his bank paper promptly, and spent a good portion of his time visiting Mrs. Clem's house. But the strongest part of the transaction remains to be told. Dr. Duzan, a leading physician of Indianapolis, and a man of wealth, had been acquainted with Mrs. Clem since she was a child, and had always been her family physician. Before her arrest Mrs. Clem had testified as a witness in the grand jury room, and had there positively asseverated that she had never had any financial dealings with Dr. Duzan, and that he would not testify otherwise. All the leading bankers in the city were examined and compelled to produce the bank accounts of Dr Duzan, Young, the murdered man, and Abrams, Mrs. Clem's confederate. Mrs. Clem kept no bank account during these transactions.

A comparison of these bank accounts revealed the fact that there were the most intimate relations existing between them. When Dr. Duzan would check $10,000 out of his bank, Young would make a deposit of the same amount the same day; and when Young would draw upon his bank balance, Duzan's would be increased to the same extent. It was the same with the bank accounts of Young and Abrams. Dr. Duzan swore in all his trials that he never knew or saw Young, and that he had never had any dealings with him directly or indirectly. Duzan, however, had large money transactions with Mrs. Clem. She began by borrowing small sums of five hundred to a thousand dollars at a time for short periods of seven to ten days, at enormous rates of interest, invariably returning the money with interest, before due, and telling Dazan that she was engaged in large speculations with leading business men of Indianapolis, and that she would tell him all about it at the proper time. Those loans increased until at one time Duzan advanced her over twenty thousand dollars, for which he took no receipt, note or memorandum. It invariably happened that the very day she would obtain the money from Duzan, Young would make a deposit of like amount, or pay off a note in bank.

As has been stated, $27,000 of Young's paper matured in bank on the 14th of September, 1868. Four or five days before that time, Mrs. Clem came to Duzan in great distress of mind, and as he testified wept bitterly, and begged him to lend her 22,000. Just at this time Duzan's bankers had become inquisitive concerning the use he was making of his money, and upon his refusal to tell them they withdrew their accomodations. He informed Mrs. Clem that he could aid her no longer. Young evidently looked to her to provide the means to meet his maturing notes, and when she found it impossible to effect a loan from Duzan, she found herself at the end of the rope. She was compelled to close the account, and catching the nearest way, she accompanied Young and his wife on a ride; her brother (Silas) followed in a buggy with the gun purchased by Abrams; Young and his wife were murdered, and the murderers fled to Indianapolis, in the manner described.

Mrs. Clem was first tried in the summer of 1868, and but for the obstinacy of a German juror, who stood out for conviction against eleven for acquital, she would have gone scot free. Upon the second trial she was convicted, and sentenced to the state prison for life. Her brother Silas, who had testified in her behalf and had been detected in a dozen perjuries concerning his whereabouts on the day of the murder, committed suicide in jail the night of her conviction, by cutting his throat with a razor. Abrams was then tried and convicted of murder in the first degree, the proof of the purchase of the gun by him a few hours before the murder being clear and conclusive; also, his dividing the money with Mrs. Clem after the murder.

The Supreme court reversed the judgment against Mrs. Clem, and gave her a new trial, upon a shallow technicality that led many ignorant people to believe that the court had been corrupt. Her counsel took a change of venue, and she was tried the third time at Lebanon, Booth county, Indiana. The trial resulted in a divided jury. The fourth and last trial has just been concluded by a verdict of guilty, with a sentance of imprisonent for life. Thus has ended one of the most remarkable chapters in the history of the criminal

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THE CONGRESSIONAL QUESTION.

The time will soon be at hand when the Republicans of the First District must again decide who shall be their candidate for Congress. We have thus far remained silent, not because we had no personal preference, but because we did not wish to prematurely agitate the subject and thus place ourself in the position of attempting to forestall the public opinion of our party friends. We also desired to wait and become fully satisfied as to the unbiased choice of the majority of the latter, that when we did speak we could do so with the confidence that we were but giving public expression to the Republican sentiment of the District. We have taken no little pains, through correspondence and otherwise, to learn how the matter stands and it is a source of gratification for us to say that the decided preference of a very large majority of the Republicans of the District are in favor of the renomination of our present excellent and useful Representative Hon. C. L. COBB. Of this we now havn't the least doubt. We have the evidence to satisfy us that he is much stronger to-day than ever before, not only with Republicans because of his consistent record but with the people because of his faithful services as a Representative. He not only *should* be renominated, but WILL be. There are many reasons why this should be done, some of which we will call attention to in our next issue.

THE "VOLCANO" SCARE IN THE WESTERN PART OF THE STATE.

As we have already stated, there is considerable excitement in the Western part of this State because of the fact that Bald Mountain has been giving forth almost continuous mutterings and rumblings. The surface shocks, too, have been in many instances quite violent, although they have not assumed the terrible form known in those regions of the world where the earthquake has shown its most destructive power. Bald Mountain is one of the higher peaks of the Blue Ridge, a long pile of almost bare rock between Broad River and Cracked Creek, in McDowell and Rutherford counties. The region is almost wholly without signs of recent active volcanic upheaval, although disturbances similar to those now occurring are said to have taken place in 1812. An old man is still living in the neighborhood who remembers the earthquake of 1812, and, according to his testimony it was quite as violent as the present one. The terror which proverbially seized upon human kind in the presence of an earthquake has taken the form, among the mountaineers, of a religious excitement which drew the inhabitants together wherever a preacher, black or white, could be found. *Scribner's Magazine* for March contains a copiously illustrated article concerning this very region before the Bald Mountain section became unenviably famous through its misfortunes. Newspaper correspondents describe the scenes at those meetings as truly heartrending, from the abject terror of the people.

IN A BAD WAY!

The Democratic leaders are certainly in a sorry condition. They effect a high toned morality in polittical affairs, but utterly fail to convince the public that they are really converted from the error of their ways. They have preached honesty so often, and practiced it so little that no one has any confidence in their sincerity. The short comings of a few Republicans have been eagerly seized upon by these disconsolate politicians, and they have tried their best to convince the people that an acceptional piece of rascality was the rule of the party. But they have made slow progress in the work. So many Democrats have been mixed up in the corrupt schemes that have been exposed through the vigilance of the Republican party, that a blow aimed at the head of an opponent is sure to kill one of their own friends.

It must be very perplexing for them to have their eloquent sermons on the necessity of political purity marred by the indiscrete action of their friends. If they could only enforce honesty *among Democrats* for even a few months, they could then point to their followers as models of political excellence; but to enforce an impossibility is beyond their power, so they are obliged to accept one of two alternatives—the repudiation of their own rascals, or their defense for the sake of the power which they wield in the very element of strength which makes Democracy possible. To repudiate, is self annihilation; to justify or defend, is to disarm them of the only weapon which they can weild against Republicans. We repeat it, they are in a bad way.

Waynesborough, Pa., boasts of a haunted distillery.—*Ex.*

Isn't that the place one would naturally look for spirits?

NEW JERSEY VS. NORTH CAROLINA.

At a recent dinner at Treuton, N. J. by the Board of Trade, Governor PARKER stated the fact that New Jersey was the first State in the Union to make a formal declaration of independence of British rule. Another speaker gave this high honor to North Carolina. The *Press* of Philadelphia in making this statement alleged that the Governor was strictly correct. The *Sunday Chronicle* of Washington proved from extracts of the British Government, cotemporaneous evidence from the papers of that early day (the Massachusetts *Spy* of the 13th of July, 1775, and the New York *Journal* of June 20th, 1775, which are preserved in the American Archives by PETER FORCE) as well as extracts from the Proclamation of the Royal Governor delivered May 8th, 1775 that to use the language of Colonel FORCE, 'this brilliant star in our history' belongs to the Men of Mecklenburg.

This article has drawn forth a long communication signed D. R. G., from Warrenton, N. C., to the *Sunday Chronicle*, in which it is asserted that the writer has "given the subject a good deal of attention" and that "the claim of North Carolina to the Declaration of the 20th of May, 1775, has been shown to be spurious and a fogery." Believing as the records prove, the truth of this brilliant record, we had hoped that no son of North Carolina would attempt to deprive his State of her merited honor. The correspondent further states, with seemingly great historical acumen, 'the Royal Governor of North Charolina, Josiah Martin fled from his palace of Newberne on 24th April, 1775 to the fort (Johnson) and on the 17th July 1775, found safety on board of a British Ship of War at the mouth of the Cape Fear River, and never touched the shores of North Carolina again unless stealthily at night like a spy or a thief." Had the correspondent paid more attention which he states he has bestowed on our history, he might have known that Governor MARTIN did touch the shores of North Carolina again after 1775. The *Gentleman's Magazine*, a work of unquestionable authority, in volume for 1780 (page 457) states that Governor MARTIN was present as a volunteer Aid de Camp to Lord CORNWALLIS at the battle of Camden, fought on the 16th day of August 1780; and Lord CORNWALLIS in his official report of the battle of Guilford Court, fought on the 15th of March following (see report Wheeler's History under head of Guilford County) states as follows:

"I have constantly received the most zealous assistance from Governor MARTIN during my command in the southern district. Hoping that his presence would tend to entice the loyal subjects of this province to take an active part with us, he has cheerfully submitted to the fatigues and dangers of our campaign &c."

Now the position of Aid to Lord CORNWALLIS was neither that "of a spy or a thief," nor to be performed "stealthily at night." But the authority quoted, (*Gentleman's Magazine*, and CRONWALLIS' official dispatch) may be error in the mind of our friend, as the Declaration of the 20th of May, 1775 also is. As it stands, we have Lord CORNWALLIS on one side and D. R. G. on the other.

There has been discovered in the Life of GREEN by CHARLES CALDWELL, M. D., Professor in the University of Pennsylvania, published 1819, the Declaration made at Charlotte, N. C., on the 20th of May, 1775. It is furnished verbatim as stated in the State Documents, and he adds, "perfectreliance may be placed upon its authenticity, and that with the Chairman, and Secretary as well as others the writer was intimately acquainted and know them to have been all that is virtuous, patriotic and daring." But Dr. CALDWELL, cotemorary with the actors, may be in error; but this point too stands with this learned man on one side and D. R. G. on the other.

Our correspondent further adds, in opposing the idea of "the so called Declaration of Independence of May the 20, 1775" that "it is not true because it is absolute. A formal declaration of final separation from Great Britain with a few passages borrowed from the National Declaration, but where not borrowed it is contemptible, &c. These facts alone would show it to be spurious."

Now Governor MARTIN'S official proclamation, dated August the 8th, 1775 on board of his Majesty's Sloop "Cruizer', then lying in the Cape Fear River, North Carolina, states: "I have seen also a most infamous publication, importing to be the resolves of a set of people styling themselves a committee of the county of Mecklenburg, most traitoriously declaring the entire dissolution of the Law, Government, and Constitution of the country and setting up a system of rule and regulation repugnant to the Laws and subversive of his Majesty's Government."

Our corresponent does not apply this to the Resolutions of the 31st of May, 1775, which he believes in, for he says, "these fall short of a declaration of absolute independence, but to the Declaration of the 20th which Governor MARTIN declares is subversive of his Majesty's government." But the Governor may be in error, and this point like those before may be safely left to the intelligent searcher for truth with the Royal Governor on one side and D. R. G. on the other.

Our friend is most lavish of praise of Massachusetts, New Jersey and others whose patriotism is not challenged in this question, but he has no kind word for his own State, whose brilliant star is attempted to be obscured. Can North Carolina claim abroad from others any credit for the renown of her History, when it is denied at home by her own sons? She is indeed "The Niobe of States, there she stands," lamenting the apostacy of her sons, and weeping for their degeneracy.

Just before going to press we received the excellent and able Report of the Superintendent of Public Instruction. We will take pleasure in giving it a fuller notice in a future issue for we feel a deep interest in the subject of popular education.

THE HISTORY OF THE GRANGE MOVEMENT, or The Farmers' War against Monopolies. Being an account of the struggles of the American Farmers against the extortions of Railroad Companies, with a History of the rise and progress of the Order of Patrons of Husbandry. By EDWARD WINSLOW MARTIN, Author of "Behind the Scenes in Washington," etc., etc.

This is a new work just being issued from the press by the "National Publishing Company" of Philadelphia. It is illustrated with sixty-five engravings and portraits of leading Grangers, is neatly printed and filled with matter of special interest at this time as it not only gives a complete history of the order now claiming public attention, but it discusses and explains the issues involved in a way that cannot fail to give all who read it an intelligent idea of this great movement.

The waters of the following navigable streams in Virginia are being improved by the intervention of the United States viz: Accotinc creek, Occoquan creek, Rappahannock river below Fredricksburg, Nomini creek, James river, Appomattox river below Petersburg, southern branch of the Elizabeth river, and Nansemond river.—*Washington paper.*

The Government is continually making appropriations for improvements of this kind in other sections. Why not do something for Eastern North Carolina? There is no more important work than the improvement of the Dismal Swamp Canal.

A young lady in Georgia allowed three hundred men to kiss her at 25 cents a head and gave the proceeds to an orphan asylum. Charity suffereth long and is kind.—*Boston Post.*

But it must have been the fellow who got the three hundredth smack who suffered the most in this case.—*St. Louis Times.*

We are sending the *Times* man a firkin of lip-salve.—*Danburg News.*

The *News* man talks like a man of experience. He evidently "knows how t is himself."

Until a comparatively recent date there has been some reasonable ground for doubt as to Dr. LIVINGSTON'S death, but recent letters leave even the most incredulous no excuse for clinging to their belief in the great traveler's luck. His body is now on its way to England and is to be buried in West Minster Abbey.

The trial of COLEMAN, late Clerk of the Commissioners of the Virginia Sinking Fund, for fogery resulted in a verdict of guilty. He was sentenced to four years in the Penetentiary.

The bill "inflating" the currency has passed both Houses of Congress. The limit is to be $400,000,000 of greenbacks. It is now thought that the Free Banking bill will also pass.

Mr. Chew has been arrested in Philadelphia for marrying three wives, all of whom are living.—*Ex.*

Here is a case where each wife had a chew-to-back her.

It is a noted fact that the last day HENRY CLAY ever sat in the United States Senate was CHARLES SUMNER'S first day in it.

"The battle against the bottle" is the way a Western cotemporary styles the Womans Temperance crusade.

Col. JOSEPH MAYO, State Treasurer of Virginia, has been arrested and held to bail for embezzlement.

CORRESPONDENCE

Proceedings of the Republican Executive Committee.

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.
March 25th 1874.

The members of the Executive, Committee of the Republican Party of Pasquotank County met on this day. Present James S. Wilcox, James Bright, John Cartwright, Hemby Lane, Wm. Cartwright and Hugh Cale.

On motion the Committee organized by calling Jas. Bright to the chair as *temporary chairman* and appointed John Cartwright Secretary,

On motion Jas. S. Wilcox was duly elected permanent chairman of the Executive Committee.

On motion Emanuel Davis was duly elected a member of the Executive Committee of the First Congressional District of N. Carolina for Pasquotank County.

On motion it was ordered that Jas. S. Wilcox, the present Chairman of the Executive Committee, be and is hereby instructed to call a County Convention for this county at the Court House in E. City for the purpose of appointing delegates to the first Congressional District of North Carolina, at such time as he may deem advisable, and that he is further instructed and required to call a County Convention for the purpose of nominating candidates for county offices, to be held after the First County Convention and ten days before the Congressional Convention shall be held.

On motion John Cartwright was duly elected permanent Secretary of the Executive Committee.

On motion it was ordered that the Committee adjourn subject to the order of Jas. S. Wilcox, the present chairman.

JAS. W. BRIGHT, Chm'n.
J. B. CARTWRIGHT, Secretary.

Educational Meeting of the Colord Citizens of the Town of Edenton.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

On Monday evening, March 23rd 1874 a meeting of the colord citizens of Edenton was held at the Court House for the purpose of having united action in securing a permanent educational system for the benefit of the Town of Edenton and Chowan county.

On motion Mr. Wm. Heath was called to the chair and Mr. S. S. Booknum was requested to act as Secretary.

Mr. Peter K. Jones stated the object of the meeting, and in a few eloquent and pertinent remarks aroused the citizens present to a sense of the duty that devolved upon them to educate the children of the town of Edenton, and the county of Chowan.

At the request of the meeting Augustus M. Moore Esq., made a full statement of the advantages to be attained from the Peabody fund by the colored people. His remarks were plain, practicable and true.

Mr. Wm. R. Haughton being called upon, delivered a short address upon the advantages of education, urging the citizens of Edenton to do all in their power to promose the interests of Education.

Mr. S. S. Bookrum addressed the meeting with eloquence and power, showing that without education a man could do but little in the battle of life.

On motion a committee of ten was appointed to solicit subscriptions in order to establish a Peabody School. The following named gentlemen were appointed on said committee:

Messrs Richard Dick, Wm. Drue, P. K. Jones, J. W. Draper, James Grigory, Haughton Simpson, John Scott, Primus Blair, T. W. Swan and John A. Johnston.

On motion the committee was requested to report at the next meeting.

On motion the thanks of the meeting were tendered to the Chairman and Secretary, and the Editor of the North Carolinian was requested to publish its proceedings.

WILLIAM HEATH, Chairman
S. S. BOOKRUM, Secretary.

Items from Belvidere.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

E. A. White & Co., have purchased an entirely new Stock of dry goods, notions, shoes, &c., and will have them open at the old stand of Jeptha White dec'd by the 1st of April. We predict that success will crown their efforts. Josiah Nicholson, the old merchant at this place, has received a portion of his goods, will have more soon. he is polite and attentive, an excellent business man, and merits a liberal patronage.

Professor Symmes has a flourishing school He is a man of great energy and perseverence both in and out of the school room; to know this you only have to view his premises so recently and quickly fitted up for a residence; a good example for some of us who are slow to act. His Honor Judge Albertson and brother attended Piney Woods meeting last Sabbath en route for Gates Court. We were glad to see him looking well and hope he will be on the Bench for years to come.

The weather continues unfavorable for the farmers; but few are ready to plant corn on account of so much rain.

R.

Belvidere, N. C., Mar. 30th, 1874.

From Washington.

In the United States Senate a resolution was offered instructing the Committee on Foreign Relations to advise with the President as to the expediency of opening negotiations with the Emperor of China so as to secure such modifications of the Burlingame treaty as will prevent hereafter the importation of Chinese females into California for immoral purposes, and of Chinese males as coolies or under servile labor contracts. The attempt to reduce the Army Appropriation bill failed. The Banking bill was discussed. The Currency bill, fixing the circulation at $400,000,000 was passed by a vote of 31 to 26.

In the House of Representatives the affairs of the District of Columbia occupied considerable time. The Transportation bill was further discussed and passed by a vote of 121 to 116. Its main provisions are that no company, corporation or person so engaged in operating a line of railroad into or through two or more States shall charge, collect demand or receive more than a fair and reasonable rate of toll or compensation for the transportation of freight of any kind, or of passengers, or for the use or transportation of any railroad car upon its track, loaded or unloaded, between places in different States. This fair rate of toll or compensation is to be fixed by a board of railroad commissioners, appointed by the President and confirmed by the Senate, which shall consist of nine members, one of whom shall be selected from, and be a resident of, each of the judicial circuits of the United States. Said Board shall be composed of disinterested persons, and no person shall be a member thereof who is in any way interested in the stock, bonds or property of any railroad or other transportation company, and the duties of said Board shall be as hereinafter provided. This Board is clothed with the power to make the necessary examinations and enforce its rules, and any corporation, company or person disregarding the schedules of charges they shall establish will be held guilty of extortiod, and forfeit and pay for each offense a sum of not less than five hundred nor more than five thousands dollars, to be recovered by action to be brought in the name of the United States in any District or Circuit Court of the United States, or, if in a Territory, in any District Court of the United States therein. The provisions of the act are not to apply to such commerce as is actually and in good faith completely internal within any one of the several States.

(From the Norfolk Virginian.)

The Coast Railroad—Encouragement and Opposition—The Project Dropped for the Present—The Dismal Swamp Canal—Its Great Importance—Drawbacks—Its Petition to Congress for Aid—The "North Carolinian"—Its Influence.

Elizabeth City, N. C., March 20, 1874.

Dear Virginian; There has been recently but little said about the Coast Railroad from Norfolk to Edenton, via Elizabeth City and Hertford. Unfortunately, there was much opposition raised to issuing county bonds in aid of said road. The counties of Chowan, Perquimans and Pasquotank, by a popular vote, agreed to issue their bonds for about $40,000 each. Camden refused to issue her bonds. It is supposed that the derangement in the currency, the refusal of some of the counties interested, to issue their bonds, and perhaps, the opposition of a part of her people, may have caused the delay. Whether the projectors will abandon the road, or wait for a more propitious time to press it to completion, we know not. Certain it is, that a large portion of the people are very desirous for the road. We all want a more expeditious mode of locomotion. But, as the prospect of a railroad may be seen only in the distance, our attention is naturally turned towards our canals. Were the Dismal Swamp Canal enlarged as the company have proposed, we could do very well without a railroad.

Much credit is due to the enterprising proprietors of the Dismal Swamp Transportation Company; they have met the public demand as far as they could. They have procured a lot of boats as good as the size of the canal would allow. The smallness of the locks, and the shallow water in much of the canal prevents any steamer from going through, only such as are of small size.

The present condition of the canal is such as to allow it only a small participation in the commerce of the country. The class of vessels and steamers that navigate the Albermarle and Pamlico Sounds, and our rivers must, in order to make them profitable, be too large to go through this canal: Its present size will only admit of that class of steamers which are too small to make comfortable passenger or profitable freight boats.

We have not been idle spectators of the efforts made by the Dismal Swamp Canal Company to induce the Government of the United States to take an interest in the work in proportion to its capital stock in the company; or at least, to aid the canal to amount of its value to the Government while in its possession, or to cover the damage done it by the Government.

The petition of the company to Congress sets forth, in plain terms, what is believed to be due the company by the Government. It is a plain question of right, and no good reason can be assigned against it.

Our people are determining to organize and press upon Congress to come to the releif of the canal. Our Represantatives in Congress will take a warm interest in the subject, and surely, with the influnce that Virginia and North Carolina may bring to bear, there is a probability of inducing Congress to aid in making this canal what it is susceptible of and what it ought to be.

Our NORTH CAROLINIAN is indeed a live paper. Its editor is fully alive to all needed improvements, & when any question arises which is calculated to benefit the country, add to its resources, forward immigration, or in any way advance our interest, that paper utters no uncertain sound. In its issue of the 18th there is an editorial head "Second Article," on the subject of the Dismal Swamp Canal, which is very creditable. The editor gives a condensed history of the canal, stating its defects, and what is necessary to be done to it, and urging that it is the interest and duty of the general Government to aid in completing the canal. Be assured that the Norfolk papers and friends of the canal will have, in the NORTH CAROLINIAN, a warm, zealous and intelligent ally in soliciting Congress to give it aid.

Let us unite in pressing upon Congress the importance and necessity of this improvement, in which both sections are so intimately and vitally interested. A determined and united effort will ensure success. "Z."

"HEALING ON THE WINGS," say all who have made use of *Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry*, and by such use been cured of coughs, colds, bronchitis, sore throat, influenza or consumption. The prudent will always keep this standard remedy by them.

A saloon-keeper in one of the towns woman's whiskey war is raging, made a centre shot when he replied to a lady who asked why he kept his window glazed and a scren in front of the door, that it was to "hide the temperance men when they came in for a drink."

PAIN-KILLER!

1840. 1874.

TIME TESTS THE MERITS OF ALL THINGS.

Thirty Years is certainly long enough time to prove the efficacy of any medicine, and that the Pain Killer is deserving of all its proprietors claim for it, is amply proved by the unparelleled popularity it has attained. It is a sure and effective remedy. It is sold in almost every country in the world, and it needs only to be known to be prized, and its reputation as a Medicine of Great Virtue, is fully and permanently established. It is the great Family Medicine of the age. Taken internally, it cures Dysentery, Cholera, Diarrhoea, Cramp and Pain in the Stomach, Bowell Complaint, Painters' Colic, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, or Indigestion, Sudden Colds, Sore Throat and Coughs. Taken Externally, it cures Bruises, Boils, Felons, Cuts, Burns, Scalds, Old Sores and Sprains, Swellings of the Joints, Toothache, Pain in the Face, Neuralgia and Rheumatism, Chapped Hands, Frost Bitten Feet, &c.

Pain is supposed to be the lot of us poor mortals, as inevitable as death, and liable at any time to come upon us. Therefore, it is important that remedial agents should be at hand to be used on emergency, when we are made to feel the excruciating agony of pain, or the depressing influences of disease. Such a remedial exists in Perry Davis' "Pain-Killer," the fame of which has extended over all the earth. Amid the eternal ices of the Polar regions, or beneath the intolerable and burning suns of the tropics its virtues are known and appreciated. And by it suffering humanity has found relief from many of its ills. The effect of the Pain-Killer upon the patient, when taken internally in cases of Cough, Cold, Bowel Complain, Cholera, Dysentery, and other affections of the system, has been truly wonderful, and has won for it a name among medical preparations that can never be forgotten. Its success in removing pain, as an external remedy, in case of Burns, Bruises, Sores and Sprains, Cuts, Stings of Insects, &c., and other causes of suffering has secured for it the most prominent position among the medicines of the day. Beware of counterfeits and worthless imitations. Call for Perry Davis' Vgetable Pain-Killer, and take no other.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

$25 REWARD.—The above reward will be paid for the arrest and delivery to the authorities of Pasquotank county, of a colored man named WILLIAM GRIFFIN, who was hired at Raleigh last Fall by the late Major F. D. Bunnell, and came here in charge of his stock. On the 30th ult. the said Griffin came to my stables, hired a horse for a couple of hours, traded it off in Perquimans county, and absconded. His complexion is yellow, and weighs about 175 lbs.

☞ Raleigh *Sentinel* and Norfolk *Virginian* copy 1 time and send bill to me.

ARTHUR L. JONES.
Elizabeth City, N. C. April 1, '74.-1t

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April 1st.-tf.

A VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

I offer for SALE my FARM situated on Indian Ridge, Currituck county, N. C., Containing about 400 acres of high land, about 275 acres cleared and in a high state of cultivation and well adapted to the various crops of this section and will produce with good cultivation from thirty to forty bushels of Corn per acre and in one and a half miles of a good navigation. I have recently put out on the farm about 1000 choice apple trees and they are in a good thrifty condition and will soon be bearing. I have for sale also 250 Acres of Swamp Land well set in Juniper and Cypress timber that I will sell with the Farm. The farm is well known to be one of the best farms on Indian Ridge and it is seldom that a purchaser has the opportunity to secure so valuable a property containing so many advantages as is presented in this farm rich lands healthy section pleasant neighborhood as can be found anywhere. Persons especially at a distance would do well by communicating with the undersigned. Terms private and easy.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SECURE YOUR DOORS

Against Burgulars and Sneak Thieves by using the

YALE LOCK

For Simplicity security and convenience they have no equal.

Every Store and House Door should be guarded by a YALE LOCK. With the most convenient Key in the world, they combine Durability, Strength, and Great Security against Picking, and the keys of one Lock will in no case operate another, unless purposely made so by special order.

They are constructed also for use upon Drawers, Cupboards, Chests, Desks, &c., and can be applied to almost every purpose for which Locks are ever used.

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The only Reliable Gift Distribution in the country!

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166 REGULAR MONTHLY

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To be drawn Monday, May 4th, 1874.

TWO GRAND CAPITALS OF $5000 each in GREENBACKS!

Two Prizes $1000
Five Prizes $500
Ten Prizes $100 } each } Greenbacks.

1 Horse & Buggy, with silver mounted harness, worth $600

One Fine-toned Rosewood Piano, worth $550.
Ten Family Sewing Machines, worth $100 each
Five Gold Watches & chains worth $300 each.
Five Gold American Hunting Watches, worth $125 each. Ten Ladies Gold Hunting Watches worth $100 each

800 *Gold and Silver Lever Hunting Watches (in all,) worth from* $20 *to* $300 *each!*

Gold Chains, Silver-ware, Jewelry, &c., &c.

Number of Gifts 6,500.

Tickets limited to 60,000.

Agents Wanted to sell Tickets, to whom Liberal Premiums will be paid.

Single Tickets $1; Six Tickets $5; Twelve Tickets $10; Twenty-Five $20.

Circulars containing a full list of prizes, a description of the manner of drawing, and other information in reference to the Distribution, will be sent to any one ordering them. All letters must be addresse to

MAIN OFFICE, L. D. SINE, Box 86,
101 W. Fifth St. CINCINNATI, O.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTBY.

District Court of the United States } In Bankruptcy:
For the Albemarle District.

In the matter of F. J. Harrell, a Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition has been filed in said court by F. J Harrell of Martin county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2d, day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Coston, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

Dated at Elizabeth City, N. C., on the 17th day of Mar. a. d. 1874.

39-4t. M. B CULPEPPER, *Clk*

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy.
For the Albemarle District.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That on the 23d of Mar.. A D. 1874, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States of the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of C. L. Stokely of Pasquotank Co., and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged bankrupt on creditors petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law, that at a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees on his state, will be held a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Elizabeth City. N. C., before T. W. Coston Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 22d day of April. A. D. 1874 at 10 o'clock A. M.

R. M. DOUGLAS, *U. S. Marshal*,
WM. GLOVER, *Deputy U. S. M. as Messenger*
41-3t.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy:
For the Albemarle District,

In the matter of H. Knaben a Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition has been filed in said court by H. Knaben of Chowan county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2d, day of April, 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same times and place.

Dated at Elizabeth City. N. C., on the 17th, day of March, a. d. 1874.

39-3t. M. B. CULPEPPER, *Clerk.*

NEW ADVERTISEMENT.

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JOHN S. COLLINS & CO.,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Canners and Dealers in

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304 & 306 North Delaware Ave.,

PHILADELPHIA.

☞ Special attention given to all Consignments. Returns will be promptly made as advised.
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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy
For the Albemarle District.

In the matter of E. F. Baxter, Bankrupt—ss

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a petition has been filed in said court by E. F. Baxter, of Currituck county, and State of N. Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2d day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. ., at the office of T. W. Coston, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

Dated at Elizabeth City N. C., on the 17th day of Mar. a. d. 1874.

M. B. CULPEPPER
39-4t. *Clerk.*

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy.
For the Albemarle District.

In the matter of J. R. Drake a Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVE, That a petition has been filled in said court by J. R. Drake of Northampton Co., and State of N. Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd, day of April 1874 at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C. is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest map attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

Dated at Elizabeth City, N. C. on the 17th day of Mar., a. d. 1874

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which can be cured by a timely resort to this standard preparation, as has been proved by the hundreds of testimonials received by the proprietors. It is acknowledged by many prominent physicians to be the most reliable preparation ever introduced for the relief and cure of all Lung complaints, and is offered to the public, sanctioned by the experience of over forty years. When resorted to in season it seldom fails to effect a speedy cure in the most severe cases of Coughs, Bronchitis, Croup, Whooping Cough, Influenza, Asthma, Colds, Sore Throat, Pains or Soreness in the Chest and Side, Liver Complaint, Bleeding at the Lungs, &c. Wistar's Balsam does not dry up a Cough, and leave the cause behind, as is the case with most preparations, but it loosens and cleanses the lungs, and allays irritation, thus removing the cause of the complaint.

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SETH W. FOWLE & SONS, Boston, Mass.,
And sold by Druggists and Dealers generally.

NOTICE.

U. S. INTERNAL REVENUE
SPECIAL TAXES,

May 1st, 1874 to April 30th, 1875.

The Law of December 24, 1872, requires every person engaged in any business, avocation, or employment which renders him liable to a Special tax, to Procure and place Conspicuously in his Establishment or place of Business a Stamp denoting the payment of said Special Tax for the Special Tax year beginning May 1, 1874, before commencing or continuing business after April 30, 1874.

The Taxes embraced within the provisions of the law above Quoted are the following, viz

Rectifiers	$200.00
Dealers, retail liquor	25.00
Dealers, wholesale liquor	100.00
Dealers in malt liquors, wholesale	50.00
Dealers in malt liquors, retail	20.00
Dealers in leaf tobacco	25.00
And on sales of over $1,000, fifty cents for every dollar in excess of $1,000.	
Dealers in manufactured tobacco	5.00
Manufacturers of stills	50.00
And for each still manufactured	20.00
And for each worm manufactured	20.00
Manufacturers of tobacco	10.00
Manufacturers of cigars	10.00
Peddlers of tobacco, first class (more than two horses)	50.00
Peddlers of tobacco, second class (two horses)	25.00
Peddlers of tobacco, third class (one horse)	15.00
Peddlers of tobacco, fourth class (on foot or public conveyance)	10.00
Brewers of less than 500 barrels	50.00
Brewers of 500 barrels or more	100.00

Any person, so liable, who shall fail to comply with the foregoing requirements will be subject to severe penalties.

Persons or firms liable to pay any of the Special Taxes named above must apply to M. C. MCNAMARA, Collecter of Internal Revenue at Plymouth, N. C or any other his Dep. Collectors as follows:

C. GUIRKIN at Elizabeth City, Collector of the 1st Divison comprising the counties of Dare, Currituck, Camden, Pasquotank and Perquimans.

JOHN B. CHESSOM, Jr., at Plymouth, Collector of the 2nd Division, comprising the counties of Tyrrell, Washington, Martin Hyde and Beaufort.

JOHN N. HECKSTALL at Windsor, Collector of the 3rd Division, comprising the counties of Halifax and Bertie.

RICHARD CLAYTON at Edenton, Collector of the 4th Division comprising the counties of Chowyn, Gates, Hertford and Northampton.

And pay for and procure the Special Tax Stamp or Stamps they need, prior to May 1, 1874, and without further Notice.

J. W. DOUGLASS,
Commissioner of Internal Revenue.
Office of Internal Revenue,
Washington D. C. February 16, 1874.
38-4t.

NORTH CAROLINIAN

WEDNESDAY, APR 1, 1874.

☞TO NORTHERN VISITORS.☜

Elizabeth City is 50 miles South East of Norfolk, Va. Parties coming here from the North should take passage on the Bay line steamers which leave Baltimore at 4 P. M. every evening, and arrive at Portsmouth the next morning in time to connect with the Elizabeth City Steamers daily.

THIS WEEK'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

We call attention to the following new advertisemen s in this issue.
Secure your doors.
Commission Merchants.
A Valuable Farm for sale.
The Steamer "Louisa."
Babit's Potash or Lye.
$25 Reward.

Local and Personal.

☞ Federal Court will be held here on the 20th.

☞ We call attention to the advertisement of the Steamer "Louisa."

☞ We call attention to reward for horse thief in our advertising colu ns.

☞ Our friend JOHN P. OVERMAN takes charge of the Academy at Rose Dale on Monday next.

☞ In the good old times it used to be, "know thyself." Now a days we put it, "you know how it is yourself"

☞ The latest quotations are, at New York, Gold 114¼; Cotton 17¼, Corn 88c. At Norfolk, Cotton 15½c, Corn 80c, Meal $1.

☞ We understand that there is a good opening for a Physician at or near Rose Dale, Newland Township, this county.

☞ From present indications the "biggest thing on ice" this summer will be the price. It is reported scarce and high.

☞ Hon. MATT W. RANSOM, United States Senator, will accept our thanks for attention and favors.

☞ We are informed that in different localities the candidates are already beginning to treat quite freley. Too soon, gentleman, too soon.

☞ The man who fell asleep in church last Sunday, just before the contribution box came around, looked very devout after it had passed him.

☞ Waiting for things to turn up is unphilosophical as well as unprofitable. Things will turn up just as fast and as often while you are working as while you are waiting.

☞ People who believe in signs and omens, and the "destiny which shapes our ends, rough hew them as we will," may recall an old saying about even numbered years being fortunate and prosperous.

☞ The ladies having in charge the improvements in the Cemetery are still pressing the good work forward. They still need a little more funds to finish up —to put it in the condition they desire to have it kept. Those who have not contributed should do so at once.

☞ Correspondents must learn to practice *brevity*. We do not always have time to condense. The result is, several communications that otherwise would have been admissible have found their way into our waste basket. Send us items of *news*. That is what we want and what will be appreciated by the people.

☞ To-day the "Albemarle House" changes hands, Mr. W. H. SMITH retiring and Messrs T. D. PENDLETON and J. P. GRANDY taking charge. The "Albemarle" is a splendid building and under the new management will, we have no doubt, be kept in a style to give universal satisfaction. The old "Pendleton Hotel" on Water Street will be closed.

☞ A few days ago a very handsome lady entered a Dry Goods store in town and inquired for a "beau." The polite clerk threw himself back and remarked that he was at her service. "Yes, but I want a buff, not a *green* one," was the reply. The young man went on measuring yards immediately. Don't ask us for names.

☞ In another place we publish the list of Vice Presidents of the North Carolina Agricultural Society for 1874. As we have been selected from the First District it will be our pleasure, as we feel it to be our duty, to render all the aid in our power to promote the interests of the Society.

☞ The managers of the Dismal Swamp Steam Transportation Company are fortunate in securing the services of polite and obliging Captains in charge of their Steamers. CONKLIN of the *Gates*, SLEIGHT of the *Jefferson* and THOS. S. HARNEY of the *Elizabeth City* are all the right men in the right place. We make a special tip of our beaver to the latter for courtesies and kindness.

☞ The Washington *Express* has very much improved under its present management. It is devoting its attention, and efficiently too, to the material developement of its town and county by advocating the public improvements that never fail to bring prosperity. Its editorials and communications on the railroad question are pointed and practical.

☞ Our friend JEROME B. LEE of Currituck gives us the following result of the proceeds of one acre of land. What he has done others can do. Let his example be followed and then who can say farming don't pay?

"From one acre of land in the year 1873 I have sold 105 bushels of sweet potatoes; and also from a part of the same acre I sold on the last of June Thirty-six dollars worth of Irish potatoes. After the latter were dug the ground was planted with Hayman potatoes. The net proceeds were for sweet potatoes $139.20 for Irish potatoes $36—total $175.20."

☞ Some sensitive writer takes exceptions in the Norfolk *Virginian* to our advocacy of deepening and widening of the Dismal Swamp Canal. He appears to be interested in the Albemarle and and Chesapeake. As we are not fighting or opposing his improvement we would su gest the wisdom of himself and friends ceasing opposition to ours.

☞ The Administrator's sale of the stock of the late Maj. F. D. BUNELL took place yesterday. Because of a question as the full ownership of the celebrated horse "Prince of Wales," his sale was postponed. "Morgan Tiger" was purchased by H. E. BAXTER, of Currituck, for $405. "Air Line" was bought by JAS. S. WILCOX, of Elizabeth City, for $175, and "Fred Douglas" by T. D. PENDLETON, of Elizabeth City, for $167.

☞ We copy, in another part of this issue, a letter from the Norfolk *Virginian* written by a correspondent at Elizabeth City. The writer will accept our thanks for his friendly allusions to the NORTH CAROLINIAN. It ever has been and always expects to be the advocate of every enterprize calculated to advance the best interests of the city and section in which it is published and we are glad to know that its aims and efforts are being more and more appreciated by all classes of our people.

☞ In our last issue the announcement of the death of our old friend GILBERT H. FOWLER was briefly made. The event occurred on the 24th ult. For several years he had been in declining health and came here last fall to spend the winter with his son, but disease had so fastened on his vitals as to resist the recuperative influence of our genial climate. Mr. FOWLER was one of our old friends, true, reliable and kind. In his native county in Pennsylvania he was a man of large business experience and very popular. He was one of Nature's nobleman, "an honest man." His remains were taken to his own home for interment.

LOCAL PORT-FOLIO.

Natural wit—humors of the blood. Divine fisticuffs—the mills of the gods. The poorest diet—eating your own words. Young ladies economy—never throw away a good match. Experimental philosophy—asking a young lady to marry you. Natural philosophy—trying to look indifferent and saying you were only in fun when she refuses you.

LOCAL BRIEFS.—New steps and railing have been put up at the Court House —The sound of the hammer and saw are still heard in different parts of the city. —Mayor SHAW has returned.—R. F. OVERMAN, Esq., left for Philadelphia on Monday, will be absent eight or ten days.—THORNTON CONROW, President of the Albemarle Bank, paid us a flying visit a few days ago.—Bishop LYMAN officiated in the Episcopal Church on Thursday last. It was his first visit here. He is able and eloquent.—J. CLARK PERRY's peas are in bloom. What has WALTER SCOTT to say now? By the way, M. B. CULPEPPER informs us that his peas are also out in blossom.—The political cauldron is beginning to rise. Don't put in too much fuel, boys.—Capt. WATERS is shipping raddishes this week. —The farmers are planting corn.—There were quite a number of people from neighboring counties in town yesterday.

Business Locals.

We call special attention to the Farm advertised by Jos. WILSON.

The office of the Yale Lock Manufacturing Co., is at Stanford Conneticutt. Sales room 298 Broadway, N. Y. See advertisement.

About everybody that goes to Norfolk make it a point to call at the popular house of Lowenburg & Jacobs, 22 & 24 Market Square. It is *the* place in that city to buy goods.

Fowler on Water Street, continues to sell a large amount of goods, and why? Because he sells *at one price only*, and at the very lowest figure.

NOTICE! NOTICE!!

On and after April the 12th, I will close my books, and all work done at my shop must be paid for at time of delivery.

Respectfully,
H. O. HILL.

41-1m.

The American Sardine Company's Boneless Sardines are much better, and less than half the cost of imported Sardines. 36—1yr.

Parties desiring rich, fresh milk can be supplied in any quantity at any hour by applying at the residence of

WALTER SCOTT.

Mar. 18th, 1874.-3t

SYPTOMS OF CATARRH.

Dull, heavy headache, obstruction of nasal passages, discharge falling into throat, sometimes profuse, watery, acrid, thick and tenacious, mucous, prulent, mucopurulent, bloody, putrid, offensive, etc. In others a dryness, dry watery, weak or inflamed eyes ringing in ears, deafness, hawking and coughing to clear the throat, ulcerations, scabs from ulcers, voice altered, nasal twang, offensive breath, impaired smell and taste, dizziness, mental depression, tickling cough, etc. Only a few of the above symptoms are likely to be present in any case at one time. No disease is more common or less understood by physicians. The proprietor of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy will pay $500 reward for an incurable case.

READ WHAT IT WILL DO.

BROOKVILLE, Pa., April 27, 1872.
Dr. R. V. PIERCE.

Sir—Having first applied to a number of home physicians and failed to get relief, I resolved to try your Remedy. Four bottles have completely cured me of one of the worst cases of Catarrh of which I have any knowledge, having suffered for months with an acute pain in the head, and breathed only with the greatest difficulty. I deem it due you as well as suffering humanity that this recognition be made of what we deem an invaluable medicine.

CHAS. Q. ANDERSON.

North Carolina Agricultural Society.

The President of the Society, during a recent visit to Raleigh, announced the following oppointments for 1874:

VICE-PRESIDENTS (STATE AT LARGE):
Dr. Columbus Mills, Cabbarrus,
Maj. J. A. Engelhard, New Hanover.

VICE PRESIDENTS (CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS):

First District:
Dr. Palemon John, Pasquotank county,
W. A. Blount, Beaufort county.

Second Discrict:
Peter E. Smith, Halifax county,
G. W. Stanton, Wilson county.

Third District:
G. Z. French, New Hanover county,
W. A. Faison, Sampson county.

Fourth District:
Hon. J. C. Gorman, Wake county,
B. A. Capehart, Granville county.

Fifth District:
D. W. Kerr, Alamance county,
A. C. Hegy, Davidson county,

Sixth District:
T. H. Brem, Mecklenburg county,
James A. Leak, Anson county,

Seventh District:
E. Belo, Forsythe county,
M. L. Homes, Rowan county.

Eighth District:
S. C. Shelton, Buncombe county,
T. G. Walton, Burke county.

The Grangers of North Carolina are beginning to inquire the whereabouts of the initiation fees. They say it costs about forty dollars in cash to organize a Grange, and they get for this amount a brief lecture and two dollars and fifty cents' worth of printed stationery. Perhaps some of the middle-men are getting a commission.

The Baltimore "Gazette" thus puts it: "The people living in the vicinity of Bald Mountain are shaken into penitence and prayer."

The Temperance League women of Washington threaten to commence a crusade in that city.

A two-tailed calf is now the pride of the Grangers of Mecklenburg county.

MARRIAGES.

FANSHAW—HARRISON.—On the 18, ult., at Indian Ridge. Currituck county, N. C., by W. H. Cowell Esq., TULLY L. FANSHAW to Miss MARY A. HARRISON, both of Currituck county.

THE GREAT ANTAGONIST OF DISEASE.—What is the natural antagonist of disease? It is vital principle. From the moment that disease is developed in the system, this champion fights the intruder until it either conquors or is conquered. Which side should, medicinal science espouse in this life and death struggle? Should it depress and cripple the physical energies of the patient, thereby helping the disorder, or should it reinforce the vitality of the patient, thereby assist in quelling the ailment? Of course the proper answer to this question must be obvious to every one above the grade of an idiot or a lunatic, and hence it follows that the weak and broken dow invalid who chooses to dose himself with depleting slops, instead of toning, invigorating and vitalizing his enervated frame with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, must be either feeble minded or deranged. Surely nothing short of imbecility or insanity could induce a person laboring under bodily weakness and nervous prostrating, to take day after day powerful doses of some drastic purgative in the hope of gaining strength thereby. Although charlatans may advertise preparations of this character as tonics, people in the full possession of their reason can not, one would think, accept them as such. If they do the penalty of their credulity may be the dyspeptic, the billious, the debilitated and nervous and all who are subject to intermittents, or other diseases brought on by the inclement weather which prevails at this season, will do well to strengthen their nerves, with the Bitters. The two-sold operation of the restorative as an invigorant and an aperient, in addition to its direct and specific effect upon the disordered liver, renders it a most efficient remedy for complaints of the digestive, secretive and excretive organs, at present in use. This fact is conbeied by eminent members of the faculty whose testimony to that effect is published in Hostetter's Almanac for 1874.

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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, For the Albemarle District. } In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 20th day of Jan. A. D. 1874, warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of Zenas Fearing Pasquetank County, State of North Carolina, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by them are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of their state, will be held at Elizabeth City N.C., before T. W. Costen, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 12th day of Mar. A. D. 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

R. M. DOUGLAS, *U. S. Marshal.*
Wm. GLOVER, *Deputy U. S. M. as Messanger*
35—3t.

State of North Carolina, Martin County: } SUPERIOR COURT.

Henry B. Roboson, Plaintiff.
Against
William E. Ford and wife Annie E., L. D. Marshall and wife S. A., J. Hodges and wife Augusta, G. D. Cherry, L. C. Cherry, M. E. Cherry and W. P. Cherry, Defendants.

PETITION TO SELL LAND FOR A DIVISION.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court from the return made by the Sheriff and affidavit of the Plaintiff that the Defendants W. E. Ford and wife Annie E., L. D. Marshal, & wife S. A., J. Hodges & wife Aug'sta, G. D. Cherry, L. C. Cherry M. E. Cherry & W. P. Cherry, cannot be found in this county, and are supposed to reside beyond the limits of this State. It is therefore ordered that publication be made in the North Carolinian, a newspaper published in Elizabeth City, for six weeks successively, notifying them to be and appear before this Court at the Clerk's office in Williamston on Monday the 9th day of March next, there and then to plead, answer or demur, to the complaint of the above named plantiff otherwise the same will be taken pro confesso as to them, and an order of sale granted accordingly.

Witness Joseph M. Siterson, clerk of said Court, at Williamston, this 27th, day of January 1874.

JOS. M. SITERSON,
Superior Court Clerk.

32-6t.

State of North Carolina Camden County. } IN SUPERIOR COURT

Isaac Burnham Guardian of Samuel Riddick Plaintiff.
Against,
Jonathan Edey Def.

NOTICE TO SELL LAND TO SATISFY EXECUTION.

Notice is hereby given that I shall sell the following tract of land, the property of the defendant on the 25th day of May 1874, at the Court House door in Camden County, being Mouday of Court week, to wit: Bounded on the West by Horse Shoe tract, the land of B. F. Spencer, South by Pasquctank River, East by John Williams land and North by Baird & Roper's land containing 100 acres more or less, to satisfy an execution in my hands against the property of the Defendant.

D. D. FEREBEE
Sheriff.

This 23d day of March 1874.

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E. City, May 11, 1871.—tf.

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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, For the Albemarle District. } In Bankruptcy:

In the matter of Riddick Gatling a Bankrupt—ss

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition has been filled in said court by Riddick Gatling of Gates county, and State of North Carolinn, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2d day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the offiice of T. W. Coston, Rege ter in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same times and place.

Dated at Elizabeth City, N. C. on the 17th, day of March a d 1874.

39-3t M. B. CULPEPPER, *Clerk.*

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE!—
Estate of F. D. Bunnell, Dec'd.

Having taken out Letters of Administration upon the estate of F. D. Bunnell dec'd; I hereby notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to exhibit the same to me properly authenticated, on or before the first day of April, 1875, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to Intestate are required to make immediate payment to me.

GEO. W. CHARLES,
Administrator.
Elizabeth City, N. C., March 18, 1874-6t.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—
Estate of L. M. Chapman

Having qualified as Administrator upon the estate of L. M. Chapman deceased, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to come forward and make payment; and all persons having claims against the said estate are notified to present such claims within the period prescribed by law for settlement, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery

J. S. WILCOX, Administrator,
March 10th, 1874. per Attorney.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.
Estate of D. M. Lee.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of D. M. Lee of Currituck County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

J. L. BALL, Assignee.
36 3t. Elizabeth City, N. C.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE
Estate of K. R. Pendleton.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of K. R. Pendleton o Perquimans Co., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

J. L. BALL, Assignee,
30-4t. Elizabeth City, N. C.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States For the Albemarle District. } In Bankruptcy:

In the matter of L. W. Lamb, Bankrupt —ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition has been filed in said court by L. W. Lamb of Camden Co., and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

Dated at Elizabeth City, N. C., on the 17th day of Mar. a. d. 1874.

M B. CULPEPPER,
39-3t. *Clerk*

NOTICE IN BANKRUPECY.

District Court of the United States, For the Albemarle District. } In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of M. J. Raynor a Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVE, That a petition has been filed in said court by M. J Raynor of Bertie county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd, day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place

Dated at Elizabeth City, N. C. on the 17th day of Mar., a. d. 1874.

39-3t. M. B. CULPEPPER, *Clerk.*

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE
Estate of Henry Knaben.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Henry Knabe onf Chowan Co., N. C., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

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Elizabeth City, N. C.
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PUBLIC SALE.

A. Wilder and Son vs Schr. Spray & owners | W. W. Griffin vs Schr. Spray & owners.

By authority of the Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, entitled "An Act for the Relief of Mechanics and others, known as the Mechanic's "Lien Law;"

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, To all whom it may concern:—That on the 30th day of April next ensuing at 12 o'clock M., at the foot of "Long Bridge" on the premises of A. McHarney, Elizabeth City, N. C., will be SOLD at public auction for cash the Schooner "Spray," to satisfy and pay the sum of Four Hundred and Thirty-three Dollars and Twenty-two Cents due and owing A. Wilder & Son for work and labor, &c., on said Schooner; also the further sum of Sixty-seven Dollars and Twenty-two Cents due and owing W. W. Griffin for lumber furnished for repairs of said Schooner "Spray" as per accounts filed with the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pasquotank County, N. C., as also to pay all costs attending this sale.

W. W. GRIFFIN.

Elizabeth City, N. C., Jan. 28th, 1874.
33-12t.—(for pr. $10.)

NOTICE IN BANKRUPCY.

District Court of the United States, for the Albemarle District. } In Bankruptcy:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 19th day of Feb. A. D. 1874 a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of J. E. Mitchell, of Bertie County, and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use; and the transfer of any property of by him are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his state, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Costen, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 12th day of Mar. A. D. 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M.

R. M. DOUGLAS, U. S. *Marshal,*
WM. GLOVER *Deputy U. S. as Messenger.*
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Will be sold at Sheriff's Sale at the Court House door of Camden county on Tuesday the 7th day of April, 1874 a tract of land situated in Court House Township, Camden county, N. C., bounded as follows, to wit;

Beginning at the bridge at the corner of John C. Nash's land, thence down the Gumberry road to the corner of the fence on the said road, thence down the said fence to John C. Nash's land or the Bell heirs' land, thence down the said Bell heirs' land to the place of beginning, containing 12 acres; to be sold for Taxes as the land of the estate of James Wilkins.

At the same time and place another tract of land situated on Raymonds Creek in the Township of Shiloh and county aforesaid; butted and bounded as follows, to wit;

Beginning at a cedar at the Northeast corner of Fredrick Garrett's land, thence running a southwardly course binding said Garrett's land to the head of a sluice, thence down the sluice southwardly to the Pasquotank River, thence binding said River to Raymonds Creek, thence Northwardly binding said Creek to John Leary's line, thence by various courses binding said Leary's line to the place of beginning, containing 39 acres, to be sold for taxes as the land of Zion H. Berry.

Terms of both sales CASH.

D. D. FEREBEE, Sheriff.
Camden C. H., March 4th, 1874.-tf

BANKRUPT SALE OF REVERSIONARY INTERESTS.

Will be Sold on Monday, April 20th next before the Court House door in the county of Currituck between the hours of 10 and o'clock the Reversionary Interest of J. W. Baxter and on Saturdry, April 25th next, before the Court House door in the county o Dare between the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock the Reversionary Interests of Samuel Mann in the lands surrendered by the above named parties in their schedule in Bankruptcy. The sales are made in pursuance of law and parties purchasing will have made to them a deed in fee upon complying with the terms which is cash.

JAMES L. BALL,
Assignee.
March 3rd, 1874.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE
Estate of A. H. Coffield.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment a Assignee of A. H. Coffield of Martin County, who has been ajudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

WILSON G. LAMB, Assignee,
3)-3t. Williamston, N. C

Keeping Butter.

While a well in this vicinity, was being cleaned recently, a half-pound of butter was found in the bottom as good and sweet as when first made. How long it had been there no one knows. The present occupant of premises has been fifteen years on the place, and the well being in constant use there had been no occasion before to have it cleaned. The butter must have been there all this time, and how long before is not known. The outside was of a paler color than that within, but otherwise there was no change.

It is not unknown to good dairy folks that butter will keep well in cool, pure spring water, and some have taken advantage of the fact to preserve butter in close vessels under the surface. But we think it is not generally known that it would keep so long in actual contact with the water. It might be worth considering whether this hint about preserving butter might not be taken advantage of so as to initiate a regular plan of preserving butter sweet and fresh, until market or other circumstances favor good prices. It is one of the weaknesses of the butter business that at some seasons prices are ruinously low, and the usual remedy of potting is not a very good cure.

The water, of course, must be cool and pure. At a high temperature, such as most water near the surfaces reaches, vegetable organisms grow that would soon communicate decay to organic matter in the water; but there are many places where a lagoon of the proper condition of pure well water could readily be constructed.

It may not be out of place here to remark, that little hints such as these are continually occuring in almost every one's experience; but only soon to be forgotten. Yet often if the suggestion be listened to and the throad followed up, one might get on the track of some good idea that would rapidly make a fortune. We think that new inventions require much study; but the truth is most of our best discoveries have been by accident.—*Germantown Telegraph.*

Making Honey.

An English writer asserts that "honey proper is not found in flowers; that the sweet juice found there is collected by bees and afterward converted by them into honey proper—marketable and presentable." He claims that the sweet juice gathered by bees and deposited during the day in the comb is re-swallowed ere it is manufactured into honey; that the juice is not honey when gathered more than cream is butter before it is churned. He adds:

"For the sake of others who may wish to see for themselves, let me suggest a very simple experiment. Some warm summer morning put a strong swarm into a hive—full or half full of empty combs—say at 7 o'clock A. M. Weigh hive and bees before the latter begin to work. This swarm will probably collect five pounds of crude honey the same day before 7 o'clock P. M. Remove the bees into another hive and extract the honey. It will be found crude still, and as unlike honey as cream is unlike butter. No process or amount of evaporation will remove its crudeness. It will mould; it will become sour. I have never seen it crystalize like proper honey.

"If this is not conclusive evidence, put another swarm into another hive with empty combs. It may collect the same weight of crude honey in the same space of time; but let it remain in the hive, and if the bees be prevented from gathering more by rain or artificial mean, for thirtyty six hours, all the crude stuff will be changed into honey proper, and stowed away on the outside of the combs—When bees come home from the fields they empty their sacs in the first empty cells they can find, and go back to the field, for more; hence on lifting and examining a hive at the close of a hard day's work, we find the clear limpid but crude fluid gathered that day among the brood combs; there, for convenience, to re-swallowed, and stored away at night."

Testing Seeds.

Now that spring and the planting season are approaching, it is often important to test the vitality of seeds before sowing them. The following is given as a simple and easy method described: Fill a box, pan or flower pot partly with rich, mellow earth, make the upper surface perfectly smooth, and on this surface draw straight cross lines, and drop a seed at each intersection, so that they may be easily counted. Then take a hoop or frame, and make a bottom to it with cloth stretched across, so as to resemble a sieve. Place this upon the seed, and fill it with enough fine mould to form a sufficient covering for the seed, which should generally be four or five times the diameter of the seed for the depth. Keep the soil sufficiently moist and in a warm place. The sieve can be lifted easily and the seeds examined without disturbing them. In this way corn, wheat, clover seed, turnip seed and many other kinds can be easily tested, which may be of considerable importance where the age or freshness of the seed is not certainly known.

Softsoap and Vinegar for the Hands.

A correspondent of the *Scientific American* says: "Our men in the shop use soft soap to remove the grease and dirt from their hands when they quit work. This, they find, causes cracks to come; but if they dip them in vinegar just after washing with soft soap, their hands will remain soft and smooth, and any cracks on the hands will immediately heal up." The editor says commenting on the above statement: "In the ordinary careless manufacture of soft soap, there is apt to be sometimes an excess of alkali, or lye, above that necessary for complete saponification. This has a caustic action on the skin, making it rough, and otherwise injuring it. After using soap of this kind, washing in vinegar removes the excess of alkali from the hands. Vinegar, being an acid, combines with the alkali, forming a neutral and soluable salt.

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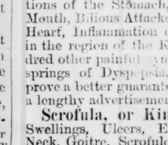

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Estate of Zenas Fearing.

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Estate of Riddick Gatling.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of hi appointment as Assignee of Riddick Gatling o Gates County, N. C., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own Petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 3rd day of Jan. A. D. 1874, warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolinu, against the estate of D. M. Lee of Chowan County, and the State of N. Carolina, who hasbeen adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, anddelivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use; and the transfer of any property by him are forbiddenby law, that ameeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their dobts and to ch oose one or more assignees of his state, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to b holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Costen Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 5th, day of Feb., A. D. 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M.

R. M. DOUGLAS, U. *S Marshal,*
WM. GLOVER